#### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (SMALL) Docket No. 81950-1010 Applicant(s): John R. Scattergood Serial No. Filing Date Examiner Confirmation No. Group Art Unit 10/658,250 9/9/03 Dinh Q. Nguyen 7669 1762 Invention: Atomization Technique for Producing Fine Particles **Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Amendment** DEC 1 2 2005 P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450 Transmitted herewith is a Response in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** CLAIMS REMAINING HIGHEST # NUMBER EXTRA **ADDITIONAL** AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR CLAIMS PRESENT RATE FEE **TOTAL CLAIMS** 59-62 = 0 \$25.00 \$0.00 INDEP. CLAIMS 2 -3 = Х \$100.00 \$000 Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) \$180.00 \$ **EXTENSION FEE** 1<sup>ST</sup> MONTH 2<sup>ND</sup> MONTH 3<sup>RD</sup> MONTH 4<sup>TH</sup> MONTH \$ \$60.00 \$225.00 \$510.00 \$795.00 Other Fees: \$ TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT \$0.00 No additional fee is required. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of . A duplicate copy of this page is enclosed. A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed. A Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 is attached in the amount of \$ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies of the above fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit

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### **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

John R. Scattergood

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ATOMIZATION TECHNIQUE FOR PRODUCING FINE PARTICLES

# **RESPONSE**

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

For:

The Office Action mailed September 16, 2005 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

## **AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 20-0778.